COMMUNITY BACK YARDS.

Take Down Their Fences.

that it takes a long time to abolish ever

an admitted nuisance, and the city back

yard, fenced in by a sort of Chinese wall.

The movement to which we have re

provement Association are proceeding of

In this way they will secure an open space

tive and sanitary.

NOT YET READY FOR

Summary of Replies Received at Tokio Indicate Opinion in Japan.

ALL WRITERS AGREED FOR CONCERTED ACTION

Office of Education Collating Facts About Girl Marriages-Keynote of Year's Army Maneuvers.

Poreign Correspondence of The Star.

TOKIO, December 1, 1913. The constant discussion in Japanese newspapers and magazines of the quesfrage serves as a striking example of the terday. The Washington police were western ideas are being assimilated in locate relatives in this city.

Today the supporters of the woman's rights movement are gleeful over the fact have won the right to vote at municipal street a short distance from his home. and ward elections. The municipal regu lations grant the right of suffrage to any subject of the Japanese empire paying larger amount of direct city taxes than that paid by any of the three highest taxpaying male subjects over twenty-five years of age. The woman suffrage advocates contended that this clause per mits women to vote if their property qualifications were sumcient, and iome office upheld the contention.

An important monthly magazine has placed a set of questions before noted ried by Rev. Dr. Bell, a Presbyterian Japanese women on the future of the sex in Japan, propounding such queries as what can be done to improve the condition of the Japanese women; requesting opinions as to the suffrage movement in the west as well as the question of soand the same rights as man.

Many Views on Suffrage.

a ummary of the replies indicates an n that Japan is not yet ripe for the age movement. As the stress of livgrows keener, the number of spinthe writers say, will increase in the

Mrs. Haru Hatoyama says: "Such ency may be averted in Japan if omen foster such national virtues as chastity, faithfulness, industry, thrift patience and simplicity.

No two opinions are expressed, however, liberty for womankind in general. The investigated by the grand jury. time has arrived, all writers agree, for The shooting occurred early a concerted action in behalf of a dignified and womanly liberty. Some women are outspoken and others

are reserved. One writes: "Small, help- also attempted to shoot another woman less things are the Japanese women of today. Before talking of giving them the suffrage, they should be given the right of self-government at home Another says: "Let us not forget that the duty of a woman is to help her husband in looking after the home and children. The independence of woman in the noblest sense of the phrase is to be de sired, but at the same time the inherent spirit of self-sacrifice in woman should not be destroyed."

Queries for Girls' Schools.

"How soon do girls get married after aduation from school? How many today. children have they in five years after

These are some of the questions that the office of education has put to the girls' middle schools throughout the country. The answers will form practical statistics and are expected to be of much value to the educational department, which is contemplating a reform in the work will be devoted entirely to the aid of scientists in determining the remedial and curative effects of radium of quite inestimable importance. statistics and are expected to be of much present system of education. This it believes to be urgent in view of the feeling

fered some concrete suggestion to pro mote the work by sending out series of started in the Chico, Cal., experimental questions. He is convinced that the rising garden. generation shows signs of physical retro-gression, and says that the causes of this tendency must be corrected.

even the higher schools. When they are married they prove unsuitable mothers and plum and almond. By having the prove unsuitable mothers are not in condition to the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at after they were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that would rived at a sible to weather a winter that we were convinced that the sible to weather a winter that we were convinced that the sible that th nurse their own children. So-called ladies the ground. In case the bearing bush would not be settled for several months. of the upper or aristocratic classes show wood is killed back by the frost, about a decided deficiency in this regard."

Coming to Help Solve Land Issue.

his mission fill the Rev. Kakichi Tsuna States and endeavor to help solve the tivity will be in making an appeal to long period is to be the country's princi-Americans as Christians. He expects to sail for America December 31, on the

that the question of Japanese land ownership in California is too big a problem to be settled in a short time and that it loes not admit of a temporary solution.

shortcomings on the part of the Jap- the value of the original weight of his anese, but by his proposed undertaking cattle. he believes he can persuade his countrymen to a better mode of life.

Army Tests at Maneuvers.

fight under galling fire was the keynote of this year's big military maneuvers of the Japanese army at Nagoya, according plete annihilation, or, at least, a ruinous and progressive forces in that state. were sent across a field where artillery and quick-firing guns were supposed to be mercilessly decimating their ranks. Everything possible was done to show no secrecy was maintained. Every evening a Japanese officer gave a lecture tothe military experts, pointing out the plan and operation of the maneuvers upon an immense map hung upon the

Burned by Live Wire.

LIVES NEAR BALTIMORE.

Star Ad Reveals Identity of Child Placed in Asylum in 1863.

Following the publication in The Star f an advertisement asking for information concerning a girl said to have been born in 1863 and placed in St. Vincent's Asylum here, under the name of Mary Lizzie Lynch, word came from Baltimore today that the person referred to is now Mrs. Daniel Palmer of Parkton, Baltimore county, and that she is seeking facts concerning her birth in order to recover a legacy.

According to the advertisement, the parents of the child intrusted her to a third person to give to the care of a colored woman, who, in turn, was to place her in the asylum. A Mrs. Price, 443 Loraine avenue, Baltimore, was given in the advertisement as the person wis ing At St. Vincent's Asylum, which is now at Edgewood, but which in 1863 was at 10th and G streets northwest, it was said that nothing was known of the persons mentioned in the advertisement.

SEEK HIS RELATIVES HERE.

Body of George Williams Found Floating in Baltimore Harbor.

The body of George Williams, whose tions of woman's rights and woman suf- floating in the harbor at Baltimore yesrapidity with which western thought and notified and are making an effort to Williams, who was sixty years old, has been residing in Baltimore at 28 Market

place. Friends of the man told the Ba timore police that he had been seen late

STOLE MARCH ON RELATIVES.

D. Lewis Mattern and Miss Frances Tombs Wed at Annapolis.

Desiring to forego all the preparations of a wedding, D. Lewis Mattern, a student at the George Washington University, and Miss Frances Tombs, went over to Annapolis last Saturday and were mar- Court-Martial Amends Maj. Haga-

minister. The fact of the marriage leaked Mattern of 452 D street northwest, is an employe of the firm of Wilkinson, Giusta

HELD FOR GRAND JURY.

William McNeal Is Charged With Shooting Mildred Gaskins.

On a charge of assault with a dangeras the women here may with justice ous weapon, William McNeal, colored, an enactment of the same law was held for the action of the grand jury

result of an accident. The court, how- already started. Maj. Hagadorn, who was from the rapacity of the "trust." But provide tempts the careless and the untid on the advisability or justice of greater ever, decided that the case ought to be morning at McNeal's home, 231 w street northwest. It is stated that McNeal

but the revolver failed to go off. RUNS CAR WHILE DRUNK.

shot at the woman twice, and that he

John Taylor Fined by Judge Mul lowny in Police Court.

erating the automobile on K street and that he ran it over the sidewalk and knocked down a fence. Taylor admitted that he had been drinking.

COLD-RESISTING PEACH SEED.

at Department of Agriculture. that a degeneration of physique is taking place among girl students.

The office of seed and plant introduction of the Department of Agriculture tion of the Department of Agriculture that received fourteen hundred pounds the greatest of the cure of cantage of the laboratory in the use of radium for the cure of cantage of the laboratory in the use of the laboratory in the use of the laboratory in the use o the graduates of the girls' middle schools of hardy peach seed. The shipment is cer. make and an investigation along this the second of this stock received at the line was made. Then Baron Takagi, pres-department. Some years ago there was

> three years will be saved in starting replant the whole orchard.

SOURCE OF CHEAP BEEF.

Prediction That Southern States Will Furnish Main Supply.

The declaration that "the south for a Mr. Tsunashima reasons that true mittee on agriculture by George M. righteousness and civilization will in due Rommel, chief of the animal husbandry course of time be appreciated. He thinks division of the Department of Agricul-

farmer." added Mr. Rommel, "can raise beef at less than 5 cents a pound, but Switchback, streaks and blotches of a He will try to solve it on the broad basis we have and are doing that in Alabama. yellow substance are to be seen. This of universal love and Christian brother- If the northern feeder is raising beef is carnotite, from which radium is exright on his farm he must get more tracted. In fulfilling his mission Mr. Tsunashima than 5 cents a pound. If he is fattening Government geologists have made tests expects to visit churches, pastors' assoit is an open question how much it is of the material. It has been established that the contains a contain the contains a contain the contains a contain that the contains a contain the contains a contain that it contains a contain the contains a contain that it contains a contain that the contains a contain that it contains a contain that it is contained to the contains a contain that it is contained to the con ations and other Christian organiza- going to cost. Feeding is more or less that it contains radium. Whether the tions, and to write and preach his speculative. A northern feeder expects property is of commercial value cannot thoughts and ideals as opportunity of his profit to come not from the added be determined until further examination fers. He says there may be faults and weight directly, but from the increase in is made.

REJECTS PARTY REUNION.

Drilling soldiers in the task of how to Mr. Woodruff of Michigan Sees Old Crowd Heading G. O. P.

Representative Roy O. Woodruff of to foreign experts who were present. Michigan, progressive, has made public terday afternoon the Park Theater Every day the purpose of the maneuv- a letter written to Henry W. Rose of De- closed its doors and gave no performers was to test the moral courage of an troit, in which he refuses to enter a conarmy which found itself exposed to com- vention designed to unite the republican onslaught from the enemy. Detachments Representative Woodruff declares the exhibitions was vacated by Justice Gavrecent meeting of the republican national egan when the temporary injunction committee in Washington resulted in the issued by Justice Ford, following the defeat of the progressive republican ele- raid on the theater last Saturday came the foreign attaches the plan of the maneuvers, and, so far as could be observed.

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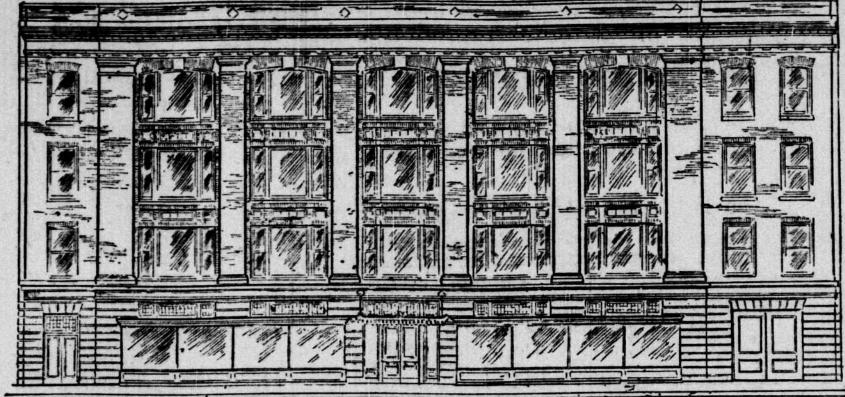
Girl Run Over by Wagon.

The emperor was active throughout the maneuvers, and it was noticeable as another evidence of the growing spirit of democracy in Japan that the far east, who assisted Gen. Skobeleff in the conquest of Turkestan, died yesterday. democracy in Japan, that he personally shook hands with each military attache.

Burned by Live Wire.

Edward Schultz of 704 10th street northwest while skating at 5th street and Virginia avenue southeast. She was not thought to be seriously injured, but she was taken to her home and a physician summoned.

GOLDENBERG BUILDING TO REPLACE PRESENT STRUCTURE DECIDE HOW BANKS



TRIAL OF SMITH POSTPONED.

Snatch Pocketbook, However.

Trial of Haywood Smith, colored. harged with attempting to snatch a for rebuilding Goldenberg's departthat two woman millionaires of Tokio Christmas afternoon standing on the seum, was today postponed in the Po- street on both sides of the main buildlice Court until next Tuesday.

Smith denies the charge, stating that pockets and that he was in a deep study when he came near colliding

GETS MILD REPRIMAND.

dorn's Charge and Sentences Him. NEW YORK, December 27 .- Maj Mr. Mattern, who is the son of Adolph Charles B. Hagadorn, military attache of A Forecast of Remarkable Developthe American embassy in St. Petersburg Ma kaye, in the Ouray building. The has been found guilty by court-martial of g owing tendency of woman to denot the same rights as man.

The regret expressed is the fine of the disobeying orders and sentenced to a mild bride, at 1310 Massachusetts avenue reprimend. Mot Harden way a regret expressed in the same rights as man. fense found him guilty.

decided that to all intents and purposes he had started for home, and three weeks later reported at the War Department in Washington.

of the ore and a government butted that but have the same effect that publicity in back yards would may be employed to lift the question of have the same effect that publicity in back yards would may be employed to lift the question of have the same effect that publicity in back yards would may be employed to lift the question of have the same effect that publicity in back yards would may be employed to lift the question of have the same effect that publicity in back yards would may be employed to lift the question of have the same effect that publicity in back yards would may be employed to lift the question of have the same effect that publicity in back yards would not be a supply of radium out of the everything else—it would put everybody domain of speculation. Great Britain on his or her good behavior, and would

PLANS RADIUM LABORATORY.

Work of National Institute in Colorado to Be Under U. S. Direction.

representatives here of the National with Prof. Rutherford and Sir William Radium Institute it was learned that Ramsay, said at the last meeting of the der the influence of intoxicating liquor, property has been purchased on which John Taylor was fined \$40, with ninety a laboratory will be constructed for reducing the action of radium is bound up in the larger one of breaking apart days in the workhouse as the alternative, search work under the direction of the by Judge Mullowny in the Police Court United States bureau of mines. The therefrom energy of the same order, a National Radium Institute is composed "million times greater than any at pres-of leading scientists in the United ent utilized." Such power as we now munity park of about 200 by 150 feet. witnesses testified that Taylor was op-States. James A. Douglas of New York, control is "but a secondary and insigganization. Colorado was selected by he said, and added: the institute, which is financing the "The main stream which vivifies and project, and the bureau of mines because of the two large radium-bear- our very doors, and to its ultimate coning ore deposits located in the state. It is said the results of the research to aspire."

END FEUD BY DEATH.

Kentuckians "Shoot It Out" and Both Are Killed.

general degeneration. Particularly is this noticeable among the girls who have pursued their studies in the middle grade, or even the higher schools. When the higher schools weather they have ever had as far souders, both of Pineville, agreed that how many a clock stopping phiz that the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour a needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the girls who have pursued their studies in the middle grade, or needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the property from the needs that how many a clock stopping phiz that the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour a needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the property from the needs that how many a clock stopping phiz that the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour a needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the property from the needs that how many a clock stopping phiz that the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour a needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the property from the needs that how many a clock stopping phiz that the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour a needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the property from the needs that how many a clock stopping phiz that the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour a needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the property from the needs that how many a clock stopping phiz that the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour a needs the discreet decoration of a mushing the property from the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour and the property from the navigation of the sidewalks at the noon hour and the property from the navigation of the sidewalks at the navigation of the sidewalks at the navigation of the sidewalks at the navigation of the navigation of the sidewalks at the navigation of the navigati the trees again instead of having to the open field where the men were they men with their hands still clasped, both

RADIUM DEPOSIT FOUND.

Trolley Line Cut.

MAUCH CHUNK, Pa., December 27 .-"No northern farmer or any other the Tamaqua trolley line along the east-

THEATER CLOSES ITS DOORS.

Police Stop White Slave Pictures at New York Playhouse.

NEW YORK, December 27.-Taken from under the protecting wing of a temporary supreme court injunction, yes ances of the moving picture films called "The Inside of the White Slave Traffic." The order which restrained the police from interfering with the Park Theater

Gen. Nicho'as I. Grodekoff Dies.

ST. PETERSBURG, December 27 .-Gen. Nicholas Ivanonich Grodekoff, once Margaret Winkleman, six years old, Russian military commander in chief in

Will Ring Out Year for Middies. While working in an alley near 15th and I streets northwest this morning about 8:30 o'clock, John H. Webb of Mount Rainier, Md. an electrician in the employ of the Potomac Electric Power Company, touched a live wire and his hands were burned. He was taken to Emergency Hospital.

Swallows Poison at His Home.

John Kesterson, thirty-six years old, swallowed a quantity of poison while in his home, 406 Virginia avenue southeast, this afternoon. The police are making an investigation.

NEWPORT, December 27.—Miss Katherine Knight, the handsome nineteen-year-old daughter of Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, has gone to Annapolis as the choice of the middies to ring out the old and ring in the year eve. She was selected by the graduating class of cadets. She is one of the handsomest of naval officers' daughters. NEWPORT, December 27. - Miss

STORE TO BE REMODELED

home is said to be in this city, was found Negro Denies That He Attempted to Goldenberg's, 7th and K Streets, Will Residents on a Baltimore Block Wi Have Double the Present Floor Space

pocketbook from Miss Ethel M. Dykes ment store, 7th and K streets. Work- block who propose to establish a com-3900 9th street northeast, yester- men will begin Monday morning to remunity park in the rear of their homes day morning near the National Mu- move all the small buildings on 7th are doing an excellent thing for themselves and setting a fine example to the ing. The extension on K street also rest of the city. For several years the will be torn down, so that when the he was walking with his hands in his new store is completed it will conform in architecture to the main structure. ing to stimulate interest in undertaking When the new store is completed of this general nature, and the windowwith Miss Dykes. Before he could offer an apology, he told the police, she made an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen departments will be enlarged and impade an outcry and Policeman Mellen department and under its auspices and encouragement and outcry and provide must yield to the common good proved along modern lines. The plans are being drawn by Rich & Fitzsimunder its auspices and encouragement mons, architects. sections of the city . The gospel of beauty

Plans are in course of preparation, From the Baltimore Sun.

It was announced today that the store will be in complete readiness to take care of the spring business.

THE SUPPLY OF RADIUM.

The regret expressed by Prof. Freder-"willfully" disobeying the command of ick Soddy, as reported in our London acter. In the control of its ugliness and anachronistic charthe President of the United States to re- cable dispatches yesterday, that the sup- had its capacious yard or garden, which main at St. Petersburg until further or- ply of radium is in the hands of private provided a certain privacy as well as ders. The court amended the charge to exploiters who have forced its price to pleasure for its owners. As our cities read "had failed to obey," and of this of- \$115,000 a gram-over \$52,000,000 a pound have developed we have tried to main Maj. Hagadorn was one of the first of-Maj. Hagadorn was one of the first officers appointed to the foreign service by
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that we have created in most cases a little
by which the hospitals of Great Br.tain
by which the hospitals of a place, not large enough for a about six weeks ago he cabled for per- therapeutic agent. Prof. Soddy speaks the uses to which it has been put, not Permission was granted, but as the offi- of the agreement made by the American much cleaner or more attractive. cer was about to board his train he re- bureau of mines with the National Radiceived another order to stay in St. Pe- um Institute in this country, aided by were only ugly, but they are not infre- clusions. McNeal shot her through the hand. She tersburg and make his application for re- private philanthropists, whereby the nat- quently so ill kept as to be dangerous to lease from embassy, provided he had not ural deposits of Colorado are guarded health, and the semi-privacy which they greatly worried by his physical condition, decided that to all intents and purposes he

> must, at present, therefore, depend on stimulate everybody as a matter of pride the gifts of individuals for the equipment to make the best possible showing. Perhaps th s will not be for long. Mme. Curie, who has been working with Prof. goes further, however, than the mere re-Rutherford of the Liverpoo. University, moval of the unsightly back and side has lately told the world to expect great fences and the individual beatification of things, of which the mere discovery of each particular little plot of ground. This ed to become members in the system. radium and its properties is but a precur- has been done in several parts of the sor. Prof. Soddy, who has also worked influencing the action of radium is bound Payson-Monroe Saratoga-Mulberry Imnificant offshoot of the primary tide,

of ground of considerable extent common rejuvenates the whole universe passes by trol and utilization it is now legitimate

The Rally of a Shadow.

end a feud, Solomon Jackson and Tate and miniatures. Constrained by fashion, New York, but there are certainly more upon. was to meet in a duel with hands clasp- tache appears harsh, Volscian, a buffet to The waste of nervous energy from the From

physically. They are not in condition to kill the ordinary peach tree back to the cause of their enmity, a lawsuit, the new freedom from facial shadows is driven by the ordinary peach tree back to the cause of their enmity, a lawsuit, the new freedom from facial shadows is men, this American and English smooth-When those who had been instructed to come at the sound of shots reached the open field where the men were they saw them lying together on the ground. They hurried to the spot and found the men with their hands still clasped, both the spot and sp when a mustache was the hope of in- But a few don'ts should be added. genuous youth and love's young dream; Don't stop to watch the man who is the cause may be lost in spite of this feeding the dear delightful doves. Don't brave German rally. It is darkly said by try to educate yourself in the fine art anthropologists that as Triumphant Gyn- of building by hanging over the tem-Precious Metal in Pennsylvania that used to flutter from the new sand- on the activities of the excavators below. papered "mug" of Mere Man must wave Don't follow an index finger to the blue and waggle over lovelier lips, already above to discover something that is not opened wide to pronounce his doom. It is worth discovering or that is not there. very like that Real Man must become as obsolete as centaurs or the Constitution.

IN RACING TERMS.



asium work helpful? Mrs. Artigue-Helpful? Why, this morning I was the first one to reach a bargain counter out of a bunch of 100 starters.

(Continued from First Page.)

Louis January 22, 23 and 24, and Denver, January 26. Hearings for the other cities will be held between January 28 and March 1. Wherever possible the hearings will be held in government "The committee desires to be informed

particularly upon the following points, which are considered primary factors in determining the boundaries of the pro-posed districts and the location of the dederal reserve banks:

Information Desired.

"First Geographical 'convenience and rapid and easy communication with all parts of the district.

which involves consideration of the Poole. general movement of commodities and of business transactions within the districts and the transfer of funds and exchanges of credits arising therefrom. "Third. The established custom and trend of business, as developed by the present system of bank reserves and checking accounts. In laying out the districts and establishing the headquarters for reserve banks every efbe made to promote con-The residents of the West Baltimore fort will venience and normal movements of

Political considerations will not be permitted to influence the committee determining these important quesates the local pride and sentiment Sun and the Evening Sun have been seek- which are prompting many cities to urge their claims, the committee never of the country to assist it in arriving pride must yield to the common good have had a marked influence in many in order that the system itself may accomplish the purposes for which it was and health which they inculcated, we are designed, namely, to secure to the busiglad to believe, has had more than a temporary effect and has aroused a general desire to remove unpleasing features eral desire to remove unpleasing features "The committee will not, therefore, be of city environment and to substitute for able to receive delegations uraing the them others that would prove both attracclaims of particular cities for preference as the headquarters of the reserve banks. We are all so much creatures of habit

The claims of all cities will be cons dered upon their merits in view of all the facts which will be developed through the investi ations. The purpose of the comhas maintained its place among us in spite mittee is to go about this work in a thorto accomplish it at the earliest possible only after full consideration of the need of every section of the country.

> Deemed Quickest Way. "The work will of necessity be arduous, and the committee has determined the necessary information to enable it to arrive at prompt and satisfactory con-

"The committee will, from time to time, Applications for membership in the new

system are pouring in with the regularity of clock ticks. The desk of George R. Cooksey, Mr. McAdoo's private secretary, grams from banks. The estimate is that close to 1,000 banks and trust companies have applied for There are few sections ferred in the western section of the city land rewer large cides that have not a least one representative in the long ist. If the estimate is correct nearly one-

With the law on the statute books only kilometers. a few days and Christmas day interventown with great advantage to these loing, Secretary McAdoo is well pleased calities from an esthetic and sanitary with the response from the country. point of view. But the members of the The following additional Virginia banks have applied for admission to the federal reserve system: First National Bank of very much broader lines. They will pur- Pearisburg, American National Bank of Richmond, the National Exchange Bank block and convert it into a private com- of Roanoke and the Planters' National Bank of Richmond

CRIES "FIRE" FOR REVENGE. to all the residents of the block, and yet set apart for their own exclusive use

Helping Out With the Crowding. Ejected From Theater, Starts Panic. CHICAGO, December 27.-Four young An observant person who has the mi cry of "fire," and precipitated a panic crowds away and reduce the population killed in Calumet, Mich., Christmas eve. would have made a stock of 450,000 bags The thanks of millions of downtrodden by a million or so, but he comes out The disturbers were taken out for of foreign potatoes for this market. men will be paid to William II, even if strong for a rule of the road. "Step for- throwing programs from the balcony. Secretary Houston heard of the mov

wears a mustache," was invented for him and he believes that signs bearing this by some foe of smoothfacedness. It is legend might be very helpful.

A proper humility prevents the assernot given to all to be as beautiful, for example, as the Hon. Josephus Daniels or tion of a claim by Chicago to the posses- No one was injured, although it was LEXINGTON, Ky., December 27.-To eighteenth century swells in engravings sion of crowds as distressing as those of reported that several were trampled Requires a Clear Head. "I see you've headed this article: 'One ling. Sweet tempers have become sour More Veteran Less.' because of this trying ordeal. Men ordi-"Yes; anything wrong with it?" "I'm not positive; but don't you really mean: 'One Less Veteran More'?'

> Don't endeavor to appear as a witness of some little squabble that is sure to prove disappointing because it is sure to stop short of a punch in the nose. By avoiding all these vain things and sticking to the rule you may perhaps be able to avoid friction if everybody else will do

the same.

Tank-He's always blowing about New

In the Crowd.

Victim (angrily)-Are you aware, sir, that your umbrella is poking me in the

Aggressor-I am not so aware, sir. My umbrella is at home in the hallrack. This is a borrowed one.

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STAR WANT ADS GET GOOD ROOMERS

CLEARING HOUSE TO TRY FOR RESERVE BANK HERE MAY JOIN SYSTEM

Adoo on Subject.

Association Names Committee Confer With Secretary Mc-

The Washington Clearing House Association at a special meeting yesterday afternoon voted to make a determined effort to obtain for Washington one of assiduous running against the breeze. the regional reserve banks provided for under the new currency law. A committee composed of five bank officials was appointed to call upon the Secretary of the Treasury and present the claims

> Washington bankers before Secretary mittee today was unable to make an appointment to call on him. When the

organ zation committee meets in this city

bly will appear before it.

Reasons why one of the regional reington were advanced at the meeting of heless must appeal to the patriolism the association. Mr. Flather, who presided, said Washington should be conreason for the designation of this city. Members of the association expressed gratification over Secretary McAdoo's announcement that the organization comconsiderations in the location of the regional banks.

The association voted to recommend to all the banks affiliated with it that they make application for membership in the new federal banking system.

ing to Foreign Statistics. NEW YORK, December 27.-The mor- the boundary line follows a slanding tality due to aeroplane accidents is de course, it is possible for a French and a

AERO ACCIDENTS DECREASE

In 1908 five aviators flew 1,600 kilome- territory. From the number and variety ters and one was killed; in 1909, fifty of post cards adorned with photographs aviators accomplished flights of a total of this nature on sale in the village it is aviators were killed in 1910, 500 aviators are ready enough to fraternize when staaviators made flights totaling 3,700,000 kilometers and seventy-eight aviators were killed; in 1912. 5,800 aviators flew over a total distance of 20,000,000 kilo-

The figures show that there was one death for every 1,600 kilometers covered in 1908, while in 1912 the mortality had dropped to one death for every 140,000

BLOCKED POTATO IMPORTS.

Secretary Houston Changed Date From January 1 to December 23. NEW YORK, December 27 .- Secretary

Houston of the Department of Agriculture blocked a plan to rush foreign potatoes to this country when he changed the date of their landing for the New Chicago Young Man, One of Four York market from January 1 to Decem-

After the recent hearing in Washington, men who were ejected from a West Side the limit for loading potatoes abroad theater last night retaliated with a faise for this market, receivers here cabled orn which seventy-three persons were bags, which with the 250,000 on hand As they were escorted down the stairs and blocked it with the change of date. one of them shouted the false alarm. Several tramp steamers that had been

Unemployed to Be Cared For.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 27.-Free sleeping quarters, free meals and a chance to earn \$1.50 for four hours' work clearing a site for a new hospital will be offered 1,000 unemployed men by the city. Vacant stores are being converted into temporary lodging houses and the authorities believe that within a few days the problem of caring for all unem-ployed men in San Francisco will have

PROVISION FOR AEROPLANES.

To Fly From City to City Housetops Must Be Adapted.

An aeroplane is like any soaring bird of prey in this: It cannot leap into the air straight from the ground. A cage completely open at the top will serve to conne a vulture. Before he can fly he must be in motion. In other words, he must run along the ground at constantly increasing speed until the pressure of the air beneath his wings becomes great enough to support him. He is in no better position than a boy's kite, which can be raised on a calm day only by much

Consider the aeroplane as a motor-

driven kite, in which the pull or the

thrust of a screw takes the place of the

string or consider it as a mechanical vul-

ture, and it becomes apparent that it cannot leap straight up into the air, that it which involves transportation facilities of Washington for one of the reserve must first be propelled along the ground banks. A. G. Clapham was named at automobile speed. Add to the neceschairman of the committee and the other sity of acquiring rapid preliminary motion members are George W. White, William not only the disadvantage of size-most "Second. Industrial and commercial members are George W. White, Whitam flying machines have a spread of about development and needs of each section, T. Galliher, H. H. McKee and John thirty to forty feet—but also the enormous difficulty of rising above tail buildings William J. Flather, chairman of the in the teeth of the inevitable eddles and Clearing House Association, said today maelstroms of air, which could we but the committee will lay the request of the see them would seem fearfully like the torrents that boil and rage in the Whirlpool rapids of Niagara, and even the man McAdoo as soon as possible. Because of who has never ridden on the atmosphere, the illness of the Secretary, the com- and who has only a vague notion of the incessant vigilance and the acrobatic skill required to keep a flying machine on an to near the views of bankers and business must adapt themselves to the limits ions men the local backers' committee prob- of the aeroplane, if we are to fly from the heart of one city to that of another. Even were it possible to utilize the broad-Reasons One Should Be Located Here est avenues, the hurricane set up by a opeller that whirls around at a speed of 1,200 revolutions a minute so that serve banks should be located in wash- seems like a solid glittering disk would t ntolerable. You ask, Why not turn to the w green open spaces provided for in Washington was advanced as another into the air, or wheeling in wide circles, ready to snatch the first chance to all tht If streets cannot be used because the aviator may be buffeted by treacherous currents against stone walls, and if park mittee would give no weight to political lawns are too few, obviously only the roof is left. Housetops, then, must be adapted to the needs of aer al navigation. That end will be achieved far more easily than may be supposed.

Franco-Russian Fraternization. rom the London Chronicle.

In the readjustment of boundaries after the Franco-Prussian war the little vil age Mortality List Diminished, Accord- of La Schlucht was divided between the two nations. France and German meet in the middle of the main street, and, as graph, each remaining within his own

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